

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

**ABSTRACT**

Police – Coastal Security Scheme – Formation of a separate and independent Marine Police Wing to function under the control of Inspector General of Police, Marine Police, Visakhapatnam on the lines of Railway Police (GRP) – Orders – Issued.

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**HOME (PS&C.A1) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Ms.No. 138

Dated: 31-05-2011

Read the following:

From the D.G.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.30/PL-2/2010, Dated:  
16-12-2010, 25-11-2010 & 04-03-2011

**ORDER:-**

In the letter 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, has stated that a conference of Directors General of Police / Inspectors General of Police of all states/UTs was held at New Delhi on 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> Sep, 2009 in order to review the progress on various subjects like Left Wing extremism, Terrorism, Coastal Security etc., and the conference issued certain recommendations to implement the same. Of these, formation of a separate and independent Marine Police wing is one of the recommendations of the conference.

2. While giving the details of formation and objectives of Coastal Security Scheme (CSS) and its implementation in the State of Andhra Pradesh, the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, has stated that there are 508 Marine Fishing villages along the coast of Andhra Pradesh. As part of implementing Coastal Security Scheme, in Andhra Pradesh in first phase, 6 Marine Police Stations have been established and all are functional in the Coastal Districts of 1) Srikakulam (Kalingapatnam), 2) Visakhapatnam (Rushikonda), 3) East Godavari (Vakalapudi) Kakinada, 4) Krishna (Golakaladindi) Machilipatnam, 5) Guntur (Suryalanka) and 6) Nellore (Dugarajapatnam). The present sanctioned strength of Marine Police is (1) DIG (now IGP), (1) Addl. Superintendent of Police, (2) DSsP (6) Inspectors of Police, (12) SIs, (18) ASIs, (36) HCs, (258) PCs (Total strength 334). All the Marine Police Stations are presently under the Administrative control of the Concerned Unit Officers i.e. Commissioner of Police, Visakhapatnam City, SsP, Srikakulam, East Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Nellore. In the second phase of Coastal Security Scheme, (15) new Marine Police Stations have been sanctioned.

3. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, has further stated that in order to make the Marine Police a capable and efficient police in policing the sea coast and sea in the territorial waters and to train them on regular basis in sea faring skills, rescue operations, patrolling, interception and to achieve aims and objectives for which the marine police has been created for, there is urgent need for formation of a separate and independent Marine Police wing to function under Inspector General of Police, Marine Police, Visakhapatnam as the unit head of the Marine Police Wing in Andhra Pradesh, bringing all the Marine Police Stations under his administrative control for Unity of command on the lines of Railway Police (GRP) as well as on the lines of Coastal Security Group in Tamilnadu. He has further stated that this proposal does not involve sanction of any additional manpower except the posting of 1-SP from the existing sanctioned strength of Octopus which has sanctioned strength of (8) SsP and therefore has no additional financial implication and as such he has requested the Government to issue necessary orders accordingly.

4. The Govt., after careful consideration, hereby accept the proposal of the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, for forming a separate and independent Marine Police Wing to work under the control of Inspector

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General of Police, Marine Police, Visakhapatnam on the lines of Railway Police (GRP) as well as on the lines of Coastal Security Group in Tamilnadu. The organizational structure of Marine Police in Andhra Pradesh is shown in **ANNEXURE** appended.

5. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an Extra-Ordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated: 06.06.2011.

#### **NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (S) of section 2 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (Act 2 of 1974), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby declares that with effect from the date of publication of this notification, the Marine Police Stations specified in column No (4) of the **schedule** appended shall cease to be included in the Police Districts, Sub-Divisions mentioned in Col.Nos. (2) & (3) respectively and shall hereafter form part of the area of the Sub-Divisions mentioned in Col. Nos.(5) in view of formation of a separate and independent Marine Police District as specified in Col. No. (6) under the control of Inspector General of Police, Marine Police, Visakhapatnam duly detaching the Marine Police Stations from the control of Commissioner of Police, Visakhapatnam and Superintendents of Police concerned of Coastal Districts specified in Col.No.(2).

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P. GAUTAM KUMAR  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To  
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.  
The Inspector General of Police, Marine Police, Visakhapatnam.  
The Commissioner of Police, Visakhapatnam.  
The Superintendents of Police, Srikakulam, East Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Nellore Districts.

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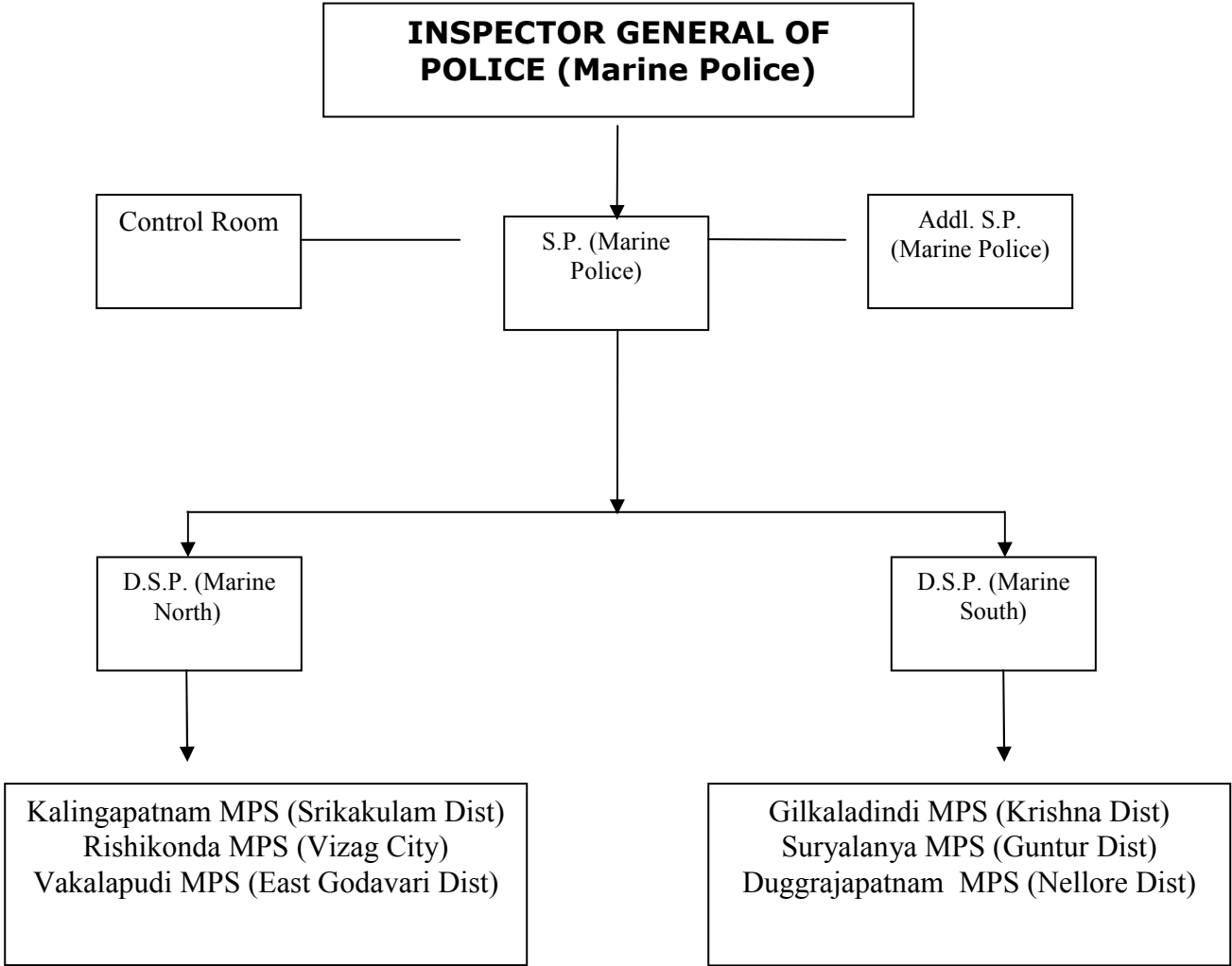
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ANNEXURE to G.O.Ms.No. 138,HOME (PS&C.A1) DEPARTMENT, Dated:  
31.05.2011.

**ORGANISATIONAL SET UP OF MARINE POLICE IN ANDHRA  
PRADESH STATE UNDER THE CONTROL OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF  
POLICE., MARINE POLICE, HQRS AT VISAKHAPATNAM**



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**SCHEDULE TO G.O.Ms.No. 138 HOME(PS&C.A1) DEPARTMENT, DATED: 31-05-2011**  
**MARINE POLICE DISTRICT UNDER THE CONTROL OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE,**  
**MARINE POLICE, VISAKHAPATNAM**

<b>Sl.No</b>	<b>District in which jurisdiction presently included.</b>	<b>Police Sub Division in which jurisdiction at present included</b>	<b>Marine Police Station</b>	<b>Police Sub Division in which jurisdiction hereafter included</b>	<b>District in which here after included.</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
1	Srikakulam	Kasibugga	Kalingapatnam	Marine Police North, Vizag	Marine Police District.
2	Visakhapatnam City	East Sub Division, VSP City	Rishikonda	Marine Police North, Vizag	Marine Police District.
3	East Godavari	Kakinada Town	Vakalapudi	Marine Police North, Vizag	Marine Police District.
4	Krishna	Bandar	Gilakaladandi	Marine Police Sourth, Machilipatnam	Marine Police District.
5	Guntur	Bapatla	Suryalanka	Marine Police Sourth, Machilipatnam	Marine Police District.
6	Nellore	Gudur	Duggirajapatnam	Marine Police Sourth, Machilipatnam	Marine Police District.

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